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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6934

BILL NUMBER: SB 581

NOTE PREPARED: Apr 7, 2011

BILL AMENDED: Apr 7, 2011

SUBJECT: HIV Testing.

FIRST AUTHOR: Sen. Becker

FIRST SPONSOR: Rep. Crouch

BILL STATUS: 2nd Reading - 2nd House

FUNDS AFFECTED: X GENERAL
DEDICATED
FEDERAL

IMPACT: State

Summary of Legislation: (Amended) This bill requires oral or written consent by a pregnant woman to have HIV testing to be documented in the pregnant woman's medical chart instead of requiring a written statement of consent.

The bill requires an interim study committee to study issues concerning the current laws that require a person's consent before HIV testing.

Effective Date: July 1, 2011.

Explanation of State Expenditures: (Revised) *Study Committee:* This bill requires the Legislative Council to assign this topic to a committee for study during the 2011 interim session. Legislative Council resolutions in the past have established budgets for interim study committees in the amount of \$9,500 per interim for committees with fewer than 16 members and \$16,500 for committees with 16 or more members.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected:

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources:

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